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- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 03/23/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 03/23/2006
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 03/23/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 03/23/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 01/08/2007
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- Small Entity Statement filed on 03/23/2006
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- Priority Documents filed on 03/23/2006
- Specification filed on 03/23/2006
- Claims filed on 03/23/2006
- Abstracts filed on 03/23/2006
- Drawings filed on 03/23/2006
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The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

 Additional claim fees of \$3680 as a small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath
 or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27,
 must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$4120 for a Small Entity:

- \$65 Surcharge.
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- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$ 3680
 - \$1200 for 12 independent claims over 3.
 - \$2300 for 92 total claims over 20.
 - \$180 for multiple dependent claim surchare.

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